

### Amendments to the Claims

The listing of claims below is intended to replace all prior listings of the claims:

1. (currently amended) A composition comprising a ~~Compositions in the form of finely divided dried powders, characterised in that they are~~ quaternary formulation in powder form of propolis, as ~~and comprise~~ an active substance, ~~propolis~~, a hydrophilic carrier and two co-grinding auxiliary substances, of which one is an ~~aminoacid~~ amino acid and one is glycyrrhizate, ~~as a sweetening agent, glycyrrhizate~~.
2. (currently amended) The ~~quaternary compositions~~ composition of claim 1 wherein said ~~compositions have~~ composition has a greater solubility than ~~the a~~ corresponding ternary ~~compositions~~ composition wherein the sole co-grinding auxiliary substance is an amino acid ~~consists of amino acids~~.
3. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 1 wherein the hydrophilic carrier is selected from the group consisting of cyclodextrins and their derivatives.
4. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 1 wherein the ~~aminoacidie~~ amino acid co-grinding auxiliary substance is an ~~aminoacid~~ selected from the group consisting of glycine, glutamic acid, lysine and serine.
5. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 1 wherein the weight ratio between the active substance and the carrier is between 1:1 and 1:20.
6. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 4 wherein the weight ratio between the active substance and the carrier is between 1:5 and 1:8.
7. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 1 wherein the weight ratio between the active substance and the ~~aminoacidie~~ amino acid co-grinding auxiliary substance is between 1:0.1 and 1:2.

8. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 7 wherein the weight ratio between the active substance and the ~~aminoacidie~~ amino acid co-grinding auxiliary substance is between 1:0.2 and 1:1.

9. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 1 wherein the weight ratio between the active substance and the ~~second~~ glycyrrhizate co-grinding auxiliary substance is between 1:0.5 and 1:2.

10. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 9 wherein the weight ratio between the active substance and the glycyrrhizate co-grinding auxiliary substance is 1:1.

11. (currently amended) ~~A composition comprising a~~ Compositions in the form of finely divided dried powder, characterised in that they are quaternary formulation in powder form of propolis, as and comprise an active substance, ~~propolis~~, a hydrophilic carrier selected from the group consisting of ~~cyclodestins~~ cyclodextrins and their derivatives, and two co-grinding auxiliary substances of which one is an ~~aminoacid~~ amino acid selected from the group consisting of glycine, glutamic acid, lysine and serine and one is glycyrrhizate, as a sweetening agent, ~~glycyrrhizate~~ wherein the weight ratios between the propolis active substance, hydrophilic carrier, and the aminoacidie amino acid and glycyrrhizate co-grinding auxiliary substances are 1:7.5:0.5:1.

12-14. (canceled)

15. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 1 further comprising suitable excipients or diluents or combination thereof for use as a dietary supplements supplement in product form ~~forms with or without excipients and diluents~~ suitable for the same.

16. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 1 further comprising suitable excipients or diluents or combination thereof for parapharmaceutical use in product form ~~forms with or without excipients and diluents~~ suitable for the same.

17. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 1 further comprising suitable excipients or diluents or combination thereof for dermocosmetic use in product form ~~forms with excipients and diluents~~ suitable for the same.

18. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 17 wherein said product form is ~~forms are~~ selected from the group consisting of powders, lotions, creams, ointments, pastes, gels, and stick.

19. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 5 wherein the weight ratio between the active substance and the carrier is between 1:5 and 1:8.

20. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 15 wherein said product form is ~~forms are~~ selected from the group consisting of powders, capsules, tablets, pastes, gels, solutions ~~or~~ and suspensions.

21. (currently amended) The ~~compositions~~ composition of claim 16 wherein said product form is ~~forms are~~ selected from the group consisting of powders, capsules, tablets, pastes, gels, solutions, suspensions and spray.